GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home (Services-I) Department - Constitution of Expert Body for Forensic Autopsies as per the Judgment in Crl.Appeal No.326/2017 Dated:07.08.2023- Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICES-I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 129 **Dated: 16-10-2024**

Read the following:-

1. Orders copy in Criminal Appeal No.326 of 2017 received from the Assistant Register, Hon'ble High Court of AP, dated:07.08.2023.
2. From the Addl. Director General of Police, Crime Investigation Department, Lr. Rc.No.107/SCRB/Legal/CID-AP/2023, dated: 7.11.2023, 12/12/2023 and Dt:03.10.2024.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Hon'ble High Court in its orders in dated:07.08.2023 in Criminal Appeal No.326 of 2017 has directed to constitute Expert Body that can contribute to the Forensic Medical Science in relation to Medico-Legal Post-Mortem Dissections and Examinations (Forensic Autopsies).

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Addl. Director General of Police, Crime Investigation Department has furnished the names of Expert Member in the field of Bio-Chemistry, Pathology, Genetics or any other Expert, who would be useful in rendering expert inputs & retired District Judge and requested the Govt., to take action as per the orders in dated:07.08.2023 in Criminal Appeal No.326 of 2017.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby Constitute the following Expert Body for Forensic Medical Science in relation to Medico-Legal Post-Mortem Dissections and Examinations (Forensic Autopsies) as per the orders in Crl.Appeal No.326/2017 Dated:07.08.2023.

S.NO	Name	Designation
1	The Prl.Secretary, Home Department	Convener
2	Director General of Police (Investigations)	
3	Director of Medical and Health	
4	The Public Prosecutor for the state of Andhra Pradesh	
5	Sri M.R.Sravan Kumar, District Judge (Rtd.)	
6	Dr T.T.K. Reddy (Expert Doctors)	HOD Forensic Medicine Guntur Medical College, Guntur 9849157159
7	Dr. Uma Maheswara Rao (Expert Doctors)	HOD Forensic Medicine, Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada 9848377262
Expert Member in the field of Bio-Chemistry, Pathology, Genetics etc., who would be useful in rendering expert inputs for the present purpose		
8	Dr Aparna	HOD Pathology, Guntur Medical College, Guntur 9391309184

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9	Dr K Mariya Kumar	Associate Professor of Bio-Chemistry, Guntur Medical College, Guntur 9989792473
10	B. Phani Bhushan	Assistant Director, DNA Section, APFSL
11	J Satyaraju	Assistant Director, Ballistic Section, APFSL

4. This Expert Body shall prepare Standard Operation Procedures and Check-lists, including but not limited to the following subjects:

i) Upgradation and Standardisation of the infrastructure in every Laboratory which conducts Medico-Legal Post-Mortem Dissections and Examinations (Forensic Autopsies). This upgradation and standardisation of Infrastructure shall also include coloured photography and videography of the entire process;

ii) Medico-Legal Post-Mortem Dissections and Examinations (Forensic Autopsies) procedure which is common to all deaths shall be reduced into Standard Operation Procedures and check lists;

iii) Apart from the general Standard Operation Procedures common to all Forensic Autopsies, special SOPs shall be prepared basing on the suspected nature/cause of death. For example, special standard operation procedure and check- list would be different for death caused by drowning and death caused by burning;

iv) To prepare general Standard Operation Procedures for reducing the findings in the forensic autopsy into writing. Special Standard Operation Procedure shall also be prepared for reducing the findings/observations in the forensic autopsy depending on the suspected cause of death into writing.

5. For all the above purposes the Expert Body shall cause a detailed study of various domestic and international scientific and technological advancements, procedures and techniques adopted in the form of 'best-practices' in conducting Medico-Legal Post-Mortem Dissections and Report Writing.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

KUMAR VISHWAJEET
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Members of Expert Committee through' the Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh.
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri,
The Addl. Director General of Police, Crime Investigation Department, Mangalagiri.

Copy to:-

The Public Prosecutor, High Court of AP., Amaravathi with reference to the Orders of Hon'ble High Court Date:07.08.2023 in Crl.Appeal No.326/2017.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Mangalagiri, Guntur.
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// FORWARDED:: BY ORDER //

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